



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: TSUNEMATSU, K.

Group Art Unit: 2833

Serial No. 10/084,301

Examiner: PAUMEN, GARY F.

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Title: ELECTRICAL CONNECOTR FOR A FLAT CABLE

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REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Submitted: 06/18/03

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of 03/18/03,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

--1. (Amended) An electrical connector for a
flat cable, comprising:
a housing having an open mouth;
a plurality of terminals which are arranged and
maintained in said housing and have contact sections at
positions facing said open mouth of said housing;
a pressure member rotatable about a rotational
axis and between an open position where said flat cable is
inserted from said open mouth into an insertion space and
arranged on said contact sections and a closed position
where said flat cable is pressed towards said contact
sections, said rotational axis being opposed to said
contact sections with respect to said flat cable;

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